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Ortega House  
29 Sheffield Drive,  
Montecito, Santa Barbara,  
Santa Barbara County, Calif.

PHOTOGRAPHS  
WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA  
District of California. #3.

Historic American Buildings Survey  
Henry F. Withey, District Officer  
407 So. Western Avenue,  
Los Angeles, California.

Ortega House,  
29 Sheffield Drive  
Montecito, Santa Barbara,  
California .

Owner: Mrs. Helen A. Meyer

Date of Erection: 1868-1869

Architect:

Builder: the original owner, Angel Mazzini.

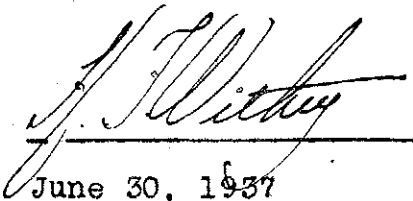
Present Condition: Well preserved. House seems to be as originally built except that space between kitchen and main body of house, once open, is now enclosed. The second story, now divided into several rooms, was originally but one.

Number of stories: Two

Materials of construction: Stone foundations, adobe walls plastered both sides, wood framed floors and roof construction, roof shake covered. Exterior of building white washed, sash and doors painted, all trim oil stained. Interior mostly oil painted

Other existing records:

Additional Data: This house became known as the Ortega House because of the proximity of Ortega Hill. As far as can be ascertained, it was not at any time owned by any member of the Ortega family of Santa Barbara. Mrs. Meyer received the property from her aunt, Jose Lopez de Etcheas.

  
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